## **ABSTRACT**

A recording apparatus (100) comprises a receiving unit (301) operable to receive content, a control unit (302) operable to determine a recording method of the content on a recording media (120), and a R/W unit (305) operable to write in and read out on the recording media. The control unit (302) includes a recording media identification unit (302a) operable to identify a type of the recording media via the R/W unit (305), a source identification unit (302b) operable to judge a type of a source about whether or not the received content is a content subject to a content protection, a recording method selection unit (302c) operable to select a recording method of the content on the recording media (120), and a recording method conversion unit (302d).

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